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## REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Official Action dated April 15, 2004, the period for responding to which extends to July 15, 2004, the Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks.

If additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

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#### TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2004 for the above-identified application:

[x]	Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111					
	Petition for Extension of Time					
[]	Request for Approval of Drawing Changes					
[]	Information Disclosure Statement					
[]	Notice of Appeal					
[]	Associate Power					
[]	Revocation and New Power					
[]	Change of Address					
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The fee has been calculated as follows:

	CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT	CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE		
Total Claims	23	- 23 =		x \$18.00	0.00		
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =		x \$86.00	0.00		
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$290.00							
Total Amenda	0.00						
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Other fees	0.00						
TOTAL FEE	\$0.00						

[] A check for the total fee is attached.

Please charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-1283 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

Dated: July 15, 2004

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